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other countries. From the diagram it appears that France, Germany, Holland, Switzerland and Scandinavia? that she about equals the United States and is above Belgium, Italy, Austria, Spain and Russia.

JUVENILE EDUCATION.

The Statistician next investigates the record of each province, and finds for Manitoba that while children between 10 and 20 years are able to write and occupy a high position yet that the groups of children under 10 years has been outstripped by the similar groups in Ontario, and that the groups of children under 10 years has been outstripped both by the Ontario and Prince Edward Island groups of the same age period. He thinks educationalists in Manitoba need to seek the cause for this retrogression in order to apply the remedy.

ROB ROY.

"Rob Roy" as all know is the work of Sir Walter Scott, and the words of the songs are by another famous Scotzman, "Robbie Burns". It is admirably adapted for the stage and throughout abounds with humor, sentiment and at times ludicrous situations. The Company who are to present this play at Brandon Opera House for the benefit of the Brandon Hospital, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 11th and 12th, is considerably augmented by local persons such as the chorus of villagers who are selected from the principal church choirs of this city. The British soldiers being composed of a detachment of 95th Battalion Manitoba Grenadiers and the leading Artists of the Brandon Operatic and Dramatic Society.

The principal characters in the drama are also the scenery and costumes are furnished by the Theatre Royal Dramatic Company of Glasgow, Scotland. Speaking of this production and company the Winnipeg Free Press of July 19th says the scene improves with repetition, and judging from the frequent plaudits of the audience, its production was warmly appreciated.

The costumes are handsome and historically correct. The scenery at times is beautiful and with the spectacular part of the drama is really enjoyable.

Andrew MacKay, a man whose magnificent physical proportion made him an ideal Rob Roy, and he was ever a picturesque figure. He is a most creditable actor. Mr. Macallister evinced a good conception of the somewhat difficult role of Dougal, and was deservedly applauded for his fine acting. The chorus is large and its members belong to the principal church choirs in the city.

Sveral scenes in which it is prominent are effective and pleasing stage pictures. The small characters in the hands of the ladies and gentlemen presenting them received the same care and attention as those taken by the principals.

Seats are for sale by ladies of the Hospital Guild and Christies bookstore without extra charge.

THE SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS.

The regular monthly meeting of the Advisory board was held in the Educational office on Tuesday afternoon, when the following members were in attendance: Rev. Dr. Bryce, Dr. Montgomery, J. D. Hunt (Carberry), Prof. Cockrane, and Inspector McCalman (Emerson).

On motion it was resolved that Henderson & Fletcher's first Latin book be authorized for use in collegiate institutes of Manitoba, but that until August, 1895, the use of Allen's Latin book be allowed.

The following were granted certificates on standing obtained elsewhere: First-class, Rebecca Sing, H. J. Graham, J. B. Caldwell, R. Brown, G. B. Burson, W. N. Finlay, J. G. Woodward; collegiate non-professional, G. B. Burson.

The second-class professional certificates of the following were made permanent on the recommendation of local inspectors: Margaret Harper, Annie Simpson, Mary E. Kennedy, Annette J. Murdoch, F. Morris, Alice Wood.

A. Nichols and E. F. Hafler were granted second-class non-professional certificate, and M. E. Horley, Agnes Taylor and Mrs. M. A. Sharman second-class professional certificates.

FIRST CLASS, GRADE A.

Chas. Hutson, Hannah Mooney, Joseph Marshall.

FIRST CLASS, GRADE B.

Abram Aitkin, Chas. Armstrong, Evelina Bell, Geo. W. Bartlett, Wm. J. Bond, James Campbell, Richard Howey, Thos. J. Smith, Chas. H. Vrooman.

SECOND CLASS.

Lily M. Aitchison, Wm. J. Parker, Thos. A. Broadfoot, Mary Bell, Henrietta Black, Robt. Chalmers, Jeanne Campbell, Alfred F. Cook, Wm. B. Cranston, A. K. Connolly, F. W. Dykes, Ed. Da Bedat, Hugh Elliott, Angus Fraser, Samuel Forest, Annie Gunnars, Annie Greenway, J. K. Green, Minnie Gilmore, Carrie Hames, Albert Ham, Arthur Hobkirk, J. A. Kennedy, Maggie McEwen, Marie Morrison, W. J. McTavish, C. J. McKinnon, Kate Moore, Clara McColloch, Annie McFarlane, Alex. Matheson, Edgar Murphy, Chas. McInnis, Josiah McKeen, Nellie Purvis, Lizzie Perry, S. A. Preston, Isabel Robertson, Luisa Rowe, Edward B. Robertson, Jessie Rawson, Evelina Spratt, E. Benson Steele, Lizzie Stewart, Louise Talbot, Bessie Thom, Chas. Wright, Gertrude Warner, Nellie Wake, Lizzie York.

THIRD CLASS.

Margaret Arnett, Janet Arnott, Annie Arnott, Mary E. Aldritt, Jacob Anderson, Maggie Adam, Clara Bastedo, Clara Payton, Alvin Blackwell, Eunice Bell, Geo. D. Beattie, Minnie Beddome, Wm. Bedford, Ivy Blackwell, Mary Blackwell, Fred Balfour, Margaret Baxter, Florence Barnes, Lillian Brown, Al-

fred Bell, T. Brown, Rhoda Cates, Lottie Chigwin, Laura Carr, Norman Carwell, Walter Clayton, Eliza Carter, Victoria Clarke, Florence Clarke, Fanny Carr, James Curle, Geoefeo Coblenz, W. Cunningham, Ed. Duffy, John L. Duncan, Edith DePencier, Jos. DeMille, Alfred Downy, Marion Dow, Herbert Davidson, Fanny Doyle, Lillian Embry, Dora Fowler, Wm. H. Ellis, Florence Falconer, S. F. Flatt, Mary Glenie, Edw. Garland, Maggie George, Inga Gourlay, Mary Gilbert, Maud Greenway, Maggie Gunn, Isaac Hunter, Russell Greenway, Bruce Hill, Wm. Hornbrook, Ethel M. Hall, Susie Hall, Lotte Hopwood, G. J. Hunter, John Hewson, Nellie Irvine, Martha Hamilton, Anna Jeffrey, Susan Johnston, Maggie Jones, Maggie Kilpatrick, Robert Kippen, Lizzie Kinley, Louise Kinley, Constant Logan, Maud Lundy, Wm. Lorree, Katie Lanford, Warren Lang, Maud McGillivray, Ellen Minster, Helen McGhee, May Mullen, Helen McKenzie, Mary McLeod, Wm. McIvor, Robt. Meares, Lizzie McLaren, John Mooney, Isabella Morden, Albert Malcolmson, Ransom Mott, Helen Monteith, Mary McKinnon, Alex McPherson, Rufus Mary, Hugh Michal, Lizzie McPhail, Miller, Hugh McCollough, Robt. McFee, Emma McKinney, Wm. Mann, Marie McFadden, Adelaide Mama, Harry McMillan, Blanche Mawhinney, Geo. Newton, Thomas Naismith, Alice Nobie, Georgina Nesbit, Mrs. Neil, Richard Calway, Olivia Parrott, Jemima Poole, Carrie Patrick, Annie Playfair, Bella Falter, Alice Palter, Eugene Preston, E. A. Painter, Dottie Parrish, Elfrida Potter, Clara Potter, Eliza Playfair, Gertrude Potter, John Ridington, Elizabeth Reynolds, Lizzie Riach, Angus Robertson, Matthew Rogers, Nellie Rear, Mary Ross, Susy Smith, Maggie Sturke, Emmeline Scott, Minnie Spice, John Stewart, Archie Sprout, Jessie Sharpe, Annie Sturtz, Beatrice Stuart, Frank Stevens, Esty Stubbs, Wm. Stevenson, Rowland Shilson, Wm. Sanderson, Wm. Sheephead, Theos. Stark, Isabella Stewart, John Stimson, Norman Spencer, Lotte Tooms, Maggie Tully, John L. Thompson, Thos. Taylor, Robert Taylor, Grace VanAstine, Jas. Whaley, Elizabeth Weightman, Jane Wilson, Alice Wyatt, James Wilkie, Walter Witton, Stephen Windsor, W. L. Webster, Clara Watson Fred, Wilson, Thos. O. Webster, Aggie Yeomans, David Youill.

went in the house. He got his pipe and came back. He sat and looked at mother for a few minutes, then said to her: "Do you want to get up and go now?" Mother asked for another drink. Flora sent Sarah to the well; father said I wouldn't give her any. Then mother asked for respect for her, which you shouldn't have, I wouldn't give her any." There was water on a dish which we had been putting on her head, and father said that is good enough for her. After while he said he would give her a drink. Father told mother that she would drink from him for the last time. We had put her on a pillow for a little while, and then mother asked for another drink, and Flora helped her up and Sarah went back for water. Father told us to stand back, that he was going to shoot her. Flora still held her, with her right arm resting on the ground, so that she could help herself. Father wouldn't let her have the water; he shot it on her hand, and then went up to her with his revolver, pointed it at her breast and said he was going to shoot, and mother shook her head and said no, she wanted to speak to Flora; then father shot again a little above where he shot the first time, and mother fell on her face and did not move again. Father caught her by the nose after he shot her the second time, and said that he had finished her at last. The second shot was about forty-five minutes from the first.

Flora Ann Peterson. Sarah Peterson.

These affidavits were corroborated in general, by affidavits of Andrew Peterson, a son, and John McLeod, a hired man, who were present at the shooting, and part of the time afterward.

The Lucky Murder.

In these days it is extremely difficult for a criminal to escape capture, owing to many means of identification and the rapidity of travel. A peculiar phase in the Lucky murder and one of interest to Brandonites is that the only means by which the remains of Mrs. Lucky could be identified was by her teeth. These were made by Dr. Dickson in Brandon two years ago. The unfortunate lady was at that time a visitor at her sister's, Mrs. Sam Lyall near Wawanesa.

Detective Greer, of the Ontario force, has been in the city and Dr. Dickson will probably be one of the Crown witnesses in the case.

BRANDON'S CIVIC HOLIDAY

And Union Picnic.

IN THE CITY.

The 8th of August, 1893, will long live in the memory of Brandonites, as one of the most successful of the many successful and pleasant days held in the Wheat City. The day was the beau-ideal of a picnic and one coming as it did after the terrible heat of Monday and the almost equally hot days of the previous week it was doubly appreciated by all. Early in the morning men, the numerous societies might be seen flitting about the streets with a preoccupied air, decked with one or more badges, all on intent business previous to their grand parade at 11 o'clock. The Moosomin local brought in several hundred visitors, many of these being brother members of the different societies. At 11 o'clock the different orders paraded and marched headed by D. F. Anderson and the C. P. R. station. Here they lined 9th St. from the track, across Pacific to Rosser, the band playing some very enchanting air during the interval previous to the arrival of the first train, which was the one from Souris, that from Winnipeg being 40 minutes late. The Souris train of 6 cars was loaded with visitors. Carriages were in attendance to drive the ladies free to the grounds and a busy day the Jeph's must have had. The visit neighbors on the Souris train joined their brethren and proceeded to parade through the city, returning to the station in time to receive the visitors from east. When the horses dismounted, the parade was resumed in greatly increased numbers, the total reaching about 800.

ON THE ROAD.

Carriages, omnibuses, buggies and wagons were to be seen plying the road to the farm and also to the well built bridge on the Assiniboine. The Union committee demonstrated the fact that it is quite as easy to bridge the Ass., as to solve the Ass's bridge, on the north side of the bridge a flight of stairs had been built up the bank, the underbank cut out, and then for a short distance you continue the walk over a beautiful level meadow till you reached the pretty grove in which the picnic was held. There is no doubt that the bridge was a grand help to the successful handling of the immense crowd that was present between 4000 and 5000 and is added to the grace, lustre and eclat to the successful end of a very enjoyable day.

IN THE GROUND.

On the south side of the lake tents were erected, swings put up and houses and there a stove burning, brewing cup that cheers but does not incinerate. On the lake the steamer was carrying a merry crowd of passengers while others enjoyed themselves in row boats, and the small but well erected stage was crowded with passengers going either one way or the other the whole of the day, and here let me say that in other countries there would not have been that extreme orderliness so visible amongst the vast crowd on Tuesday afternoon. There might have been more joviality but not the extreme air of respectability enjoyed by those present. J. A.蒙古 had a mammoth booth and here all the good

and cooling things necessary for the full enjoyment of a picnic were to be found. The Sons of England had a tent and many others were on the ground. The Salvation Army had their contingent. On this side north of the lake the sports were held, the crowd at times being immense.

THE SPORTS.

The sports were carried on most successfully although the large sum of \$100 was offered in two prizes for the Band competition and one or two others of the minor competitions were the only ones which did not fill. An accident occurred to A. J. Garrison in the bicycle race, was the only one that marred the sports. As the events were well contested and the crowd seemed to one and all feel that the committee of management had spared no pains to make the day a pleasant and enjoyable one for their visitors. The prizes given were handsome in amount and the successful knew they had done their best to obtain them. It was late when the grounds began to have a partially deserted appearance but as many were anxious to be present at the Paul Heinenberg Concert and some had to leave by the east bound train, the numbers thinned considerably by six or seven o'clock and by eight or nine o'clock the most enthusiastic picnickers had returned. After having spent thanks to the kindness of the Societies and the management, a day long to be remembered by all present and those those present, in a very large majority received these feelings we have no doubt from the numerous complimentary remarks, and happy faces seen on our homeward journey.

The many different societies under whose auspices the picnic was held were the Independent Order of Foresters, Canada, Order of Foresters, Ancient Order of Foresters, Independent Order of Foresters, Union Encampment, Knights of Pythias, Royal Templars, Independent Order Good Templars, Sons of England, Clan Gordon, Brandon Lodge, Ancient Order United Workmen, and it was worthy of note, the remarkably harmonious manner in which all pulled together. There was no hitch here in Brandon, though the Winnipeg papers, would try to make it appear that the committee were responsible for the non-departure of an excursion train for this point. This we understand was not the case, and the manner in which things were done and the universally successful issue of everything was doubtless due to the management of the event. We do feel sure that it was one of the things no fellow can understand. The list of prizes and the successful winners are as follows:

TUG OF WAR.

Independent Order Odd Fellows, E. W. Jones, Capt., 1st \$20.

Ancient Order United Workmen, (Alexander), H. N. Nicce, Capt., 2nd \$10.

FOOTBALL.

Three teams entered, "Stars" Hartney, Douglas and Brandon, Brandon, 1st \$20.

BASEBALL.

Carberry, 1st \$20.

FLAT RACE 100 YARDS.

George Toye, 1st \$10; A. J. Dill, 2nd \$5; L. M. McDonald, 3rd \$2.50. Eleven entered.

QUARTER MILE FLAT RACE.

Geo. Toye, 1st \$10; L. M. MacDonald, 2nd \$5. Five entered.

FLAT RACE 1 MILE.

G. E. W. Hullah, 1st \$10; F. W. Gilson, 2nd \$5. Four entered.

THREE LEGGED RACE.

Lockhart and Lowes, 1st \$6; Woods Walker, 2nd \$4.

HURDLE RACE.

O. E. Wood, 1st \$10; A. J. Dill, 2nd \$5; Geo. Toye, 3rd \$2.50. Five entered.

BICYCLE RACE.

C. Hilton, 1st \$8.

A. J. Harrison also entered for this race but owing to the foolish conduct of two men who were driving a pony that shied, Harrison was thrown and sustained injuries that disabled him from continuing the race.

BOYS RACE (9 to 14) 100 YARDS HANDICAP.

W. Smith, 1st \$2; Jas. Hague, 2nd \$2.

Eddy Mack, 3rd \$2cts. Nine entered.

GIRLS (9 to 14) 100 YARDS HANDICAP.

Jennie VanTassel, 1st \$2; Eva Peacock, 2nd \$1; Katie Hooper, 3rd \$2cts. Seventeen entered.

BOYS (5 to 8) 100 YARDS HANDICAP.

Simpson Mills, 1st \$2; Fred Smith, 2nd \$1; Nelson Andrews, 3rd \$2cts.

GIRLS (5 to 8) 100 YARDS.

Myrtle Kidd, 1st \$2; Maggie Hayes, 2nd \$1; Clara Bell, 3rd \$2cts.

STANDING HIGH JUMP.

L. Hopper, 1st \$8; O. E. Wool & C. Walker, awarded \$1.

RUNNING LONG JUMP.

A. J. Dill, 1st \$8; J. Hopper, 2nd \$1.

THROWING 16 LB. HAMMER.

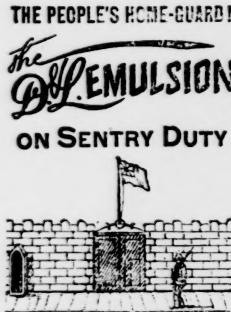
Duncan McRae, 1st \$10; J. Hopper, 2nd \$5.

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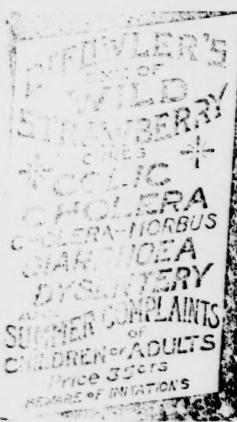
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STYLES IN ENGLAND.

WHAT FAIR BRITON GIRLS WEAR AT THE SHORE.

All Beautiful and Imbued With the Spirit of Albion—Cotton Frocks, Evening Wraps and Tailor Made Gowns—The Best Toilets Seen at the Promenade.

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I am here at Southend, England, almost opposite Sheerness at the mouth of the Thames. It lies about six miles from Shoeburyness, where the great school of gunnery is and where all the new improvements in heavy ordnance are tested.

There are cliffs at Southend at the upper part and quite a flourishing village, with its "High street" and big hotels, and all along the cliffs are pretty cottages—"willows," they call them—and there is probably the longest wharf there in the world, as the beach is so flat. The cliffs slope gradually at one end to the hard, white beach.

It is but one season since "all London" has come to the beauty of Southend as a summer resort, and it had the added advantage of being rather more exclusive than Bath or Brighton or any one of the English resorts, and this season the nobles and "willows" are crowded with the best English society.

Shoeburyness being so near, there is always a brilliant military element. The drives around are of the most beautiful. Chelmsford is but a few miles away. Leigh, the quaint fishing village where herrings are thick and children abundant, is but three miles distant, clinging close under great cliffs crowned with large trees.

It is in this lonely place where the river is so wide that the shore on the other side looks like a vague shadow that fashion has set itself this year, and strolling on the sands, lounging on the long covered pier, or sitting under the trees up on the cliffs, or listening to the band which plays afternoon and evening you will see the highest style of English fashions, which, though having origin on the continent, are imbued with something of the spirit of Albion and are very beautiful.

You will see a tall, fair girl, with that lovely complexion rarely found away from this climate, come walking along in a gown of pale blue china silk with little rings of cherry color all over it. It is cut with an ample width and slightly gathered at the waist. The skirt is cut out in deep scallops, and these are headed by a black lace insertion. Below this falls a full gathered flounce, and set upon that is a very full ruffle of white lace "run" with black silk and headed by the black lace insertion. Two rows of the same encircle the forearm part of the sleeves, which are balloon, with full caps of the same kind of hand run lace. The waist is gathered front and back and has poptic revers of blue bengaline the exact shade of the dress. The belt is also of blue bengaline. The belt is indestructible, but is bound with the black lace over the white straw, and a bunch of field flowers and grasses ornaments the top. The parasol is of a faint rose, with a very full chiffon ruffle, and is tied with a cherry colored bow.

Walking daintily on the hard, yellow sand is another type, and her gown is of dark gray serge, with a bluish under-gleam, which produces a harsh and cold effect, extremely rigid and proper. The skirt is made double and cut in half circles, which gives it the admiring fullness at the bottom and severity of outline at the top. The armrest vest of dark blue-sue and cash of the same and a sort of Etro jacket that hangs open, but can be buttoned if the heat is too cool. The sleeves are the regulation gigot, with a pleated forearm. There is a sort of medium collar to the jacket that lends a style peculiarly its own. The bonnet is made of two wide sailor bows held by a peated butterfly. This is for afternoon promenades.

For mornings the plumed sailor hat is almost de rigueur. I have noticed many sailor hats covered with the material from which the gowns were fashioned, apparently made by a regular hatter, as it laid on perfectly smooth.

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Do not ask a very ill man what you shall do for him. The doctor has already given the proper directions, and if the patient wants any other attendance than it is not so obvious that you can give it without questioning him he will ask for it unprompted.

Do not breathe in his face or hang over him. He needs all the fresh air he can get.

Do not press your hand upon his brow. It sounds well in novels, but it is quite possible that your hand seems to him to weigh a ton. Do not touch him unnecessarily at all, unless he indicates that he desires it.

Do not ask him every half hour how he feels. Take it for granted that he does not feel well. Do not keep telling him that he is better, for if he is he will know it quite as soon as you do, and if he is not it will merely vex him.

Do not attempt to lift him unless you are strong enough to do so without hurting him. Abortive efforts to raise him cause him pain and irritation. He can take food lying down, provided that you feed him through a glass tube bent at a right angle instead of pouring his beef tea or milk into the bosom of his night-gown with a spoon. And speaking of spoons, wash the medicine spoon every time it is used, that the dregs of the previous dose may not offend him.

Do not interfere, no matter how quietly, with his private belongings, unless he wishes it. It annoys him intensely to think that his small properties are being examined and rearranged.

If you cannot control your agitation, keep out of his sight and hearing until you can.

If he has his senses, do not treat him like an infant, smile at him whims or disregard his reasonable wishes.

Above all, do not expect him to be polite, grateful or even civil, no matter if you are sacrificing your comfort and enduring anxiety for his sake. If he is cross, do not tell him so or be hurt by the tact, for he is suffering, and his nerves are in a state of rebellion. Remember that he is not responsible for it and that it is your duty to be considerate and patient for both.

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THE BELLES OF SOUTHEND.

now silver or gold ribbon band was worn around the hat and fastened with a neat buckle when this was the case. Fine elastics are used to hold them on, as English ladies consider hairpins injurious to the hair and frequent producers of headache.

The bathing at Southend is done as at Brighton and Bath. There are little platforms on wheels that are rolled down to the edge of the water, whether it is high or low tide, and the bathers step from the seclusion of their temporary dressing room into the water. There is never any very heavy surf, but still it is quite sufficient to give a good reaction.

The costumes of the bathers vary but slightly, I fancy, from those in America. They run mostly to blue flannel or serge and have blouse and skirt and loose trousers, but we do not wear stockings, though we do wear sandals to protect our feet from sharp shells.

It is on the promenade that the best styles are worn. I saw one of England's prettiest beauties walking by, clad in a pearl gray chevron "dead line." The skirt was plain very full in the back and with three rows of narrow gold braid for side trimming. The coat was cut

very full to fall in deep natural folds, and it was bordered with three lines of gold braid. There was a rolling collar, and it had six elegantly chased gold buttons at the waist. The sleeves were medium gigot, with turnback cuffs. The coat was lined with pink lace silk, and the vest front was of the same, with pink silk muslin ruffles. Her hat was pearl gray felt in partly Alpine shape and trimmed with a gray wing and two small diamonds of gray velvet.

Another notable costume was a gown of mode poplin, with a black lace flounce at the bottom headed by a box plating of satin of the same shade, and this headed by a narrow jet galloon.

The waist was plain French, with belt, and the sleeves gigot, with wrinkles at the wrists and short rolling cuffs faced with satin. To wear with it was a shoulder cape of the poplin, with a box plating of the same headed by the galloon and with a deep black lace ruffle. The little cape was stiffened to fit the neck without collar, and at each seam was a band of galloon, and the neck seams were left open at the top to allow a very full ruffle of black lace to fall through.

The waist was a white French clip trimmed with pink roses, pink ostrich and bows and crown of mordor velvet and strings of the same made double on the bias and pinned under the chin.

New cotton frocks are worn at Southend, as the moist air is not well for such but all the tweeds, light cheviots and Scotch mixtures are worn with silk as a setoff for best. Moire gowns made in the prevailing styles are very much worn, the entire gown being made of it, with a figure of passementerie or velvet, or some other rich material. I saw one today with a border of red fox fur around the bottom, it being but two shades lighter than the brown moire.

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You will see a tall, fair girl, with that lovely complexion rarely found away from this climate, come walking along in a gown of pale blue china silk with little rings of cherry color all over it. It is cut with an ample width and slightly gathered at the waist. The skirt is cut out in deep scallops, and these are headed by a black lace insertion. Below this falls a full gathered flounce, and set upon that is a very full ruffle of white lace "run" with black silk and headed by the black lace insertion. Two rows of the same encircle the forearm part of the sleeves, which are balloon, with full caps of the same kind of hand run lace. The armrest vest of blue bengaline the exact shade of the dress. The belt is also of blue bengaline. The belt is indestructible, but is bound with the black lace over the white straw, and a bunch of field flowers and grasses ornaments the top. The parasol is of a faint rose, with a very full chiffon ruffle, and is tied with a cherry colored bow.

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BUSINESS WORLD.

The following bank failures were reported at Chicago in one day: Akron savings bank, Akron; Ohio; Wyandotte county bank of Upper Sandusky; the Standard banking corporation of N. M. Crane of Hornellsville, N. Y., and the Commercial bank, of Cottage Grove, Oregon.

"Manitoba is the soundest of all the provinces financially," said one of Dunne's commercial agency men recently. "There has been a failure in that province for ten days in spite of the financial crisis in the States."

The Canadian Pacific has taken over the Montreal and Western railway, which has been completed to St. Gauthier from St. Jerome and will open up a rich lumber country.

THE DEAD.

John Stevenson the well known car builder, is dead. Death was the result of general dissolution caused by old age. Mr. Stevenson was 81 years of age.

Wm. Walker, a well-known stock breeder, of London township, Ont., who was on his way home from England dropped dead of heart disease. He was aged 36.

Charles Oliver, of the firm of MacKay & Oliver, barristers, and a prominent member of Woodstock, died recently at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where he was visiting.

Robt. Milner, formerly manager of the Toronto branch of the Bank of Montreal, and one of the most prominent figures in Canadian banking circles, is dead.

S. J. White, box manufacturer, fell dead in his factory from heart failure. Deceased was aged 62 and leaves a wife and one daughter.

The death is announced at Chicago of Dolan Leonard, a former resident of London, and brother of the late Senator Leonard.

Mrs. Meikle, wife of Rev. Wm. Meikle purveyor of the Presbyterian church of Toronto, and now retired from the active work of the ministry, died recently.

The body of S. W. Flaggick, postmaster at Wellington, was found floating in the lake the other day. He is supposed to have fallen in accidentally.

Edward Roberts, of Sarnia, aged 36, was drowned this week. He was bathing in the river and was carried down by the current.

ACCIDENTS.

Perry Bushby, a Lime Lake young man, was run over by a wagon and died almost instantly.

David Clark, formerly of Stayner, was killed on his farm, near St. Thomas, by being thrown from a wagon in a runaway.

During a thunder storm James Schedlbaugh, Jersville, was instantly killed by lightning.

During a severe storm the lightning struck the top of the new physics building at McGill college grounds and did considerable damage.

At Sharpton the other day, Mrs. Bobbie, who resided with her daughter, Mrs. Van Cook, fell out of the window of her dwelling, receding fatal injuries.

One of the most peculiar accidents that has yet occurred on the C. P. R. took place last week down the line, says the Port Arthur Herald. A young lad about 16 years of age was engaged in the act of "pinching" a flat car forward with a long steel crowbar. He was partially under the car at the front truck; he turned his head around just as he did so the bar slipped off the rail and wedged itself against a seat. At the same moment a beam underneath the car caught his back and pushed him forward against the crowbar, impaling him in such a manner that the bar was passed through his body and five inches beyond. The steel passed over the hip bone and tearing it on its way through. Notwithstanding the horrible agony which he must have endured the boy stood the ordeal of having the bar pulled out from his body without a murmur.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Complaints have been made against the Kingston transportation company that it makes its men work until noon on Sunday in order to get towns away. The matter may probably be investigated.

It is understood by those interested in the movement that a series of picnics will be held this autumn in different parts of Ontario, commencing immediately upon McCarthy's arrival from England. The campaign will be pushed vigorously.

There has been a falling off in the number of cattle shipped from Montreal this year than that of 1892. Up to yesterday \$8,837 less had been exported than during the corresponding period last year, while the figures of 1892 were less than those of the preceding year.

It is said that Lord Lansdowne's resignation of the viceroyalty of India will be announced within a few weeks. Lord Curzon, his successor, and Lord Herschell and Lord Spencer's names, are, however, mentioned in connection with the post. It is reported that if Lord Herschell accepts, his position as lord chancellor would be taken by Lord Chief Justice Coleridge, Sir Charles Russell succeeding to the lord chief justicehip.

The Montreal Presbytery held another meeting recently to consider the case of Prof. John Campbell, of the Montreal presbytery, who is charged with heresy on account of certain statements made by him in a lecture before the students of the University, Kingston. The two counts of heresy were finally approved charge Prof. Campbell with being guilty of heresy, in having held and taught a view of holy scripture which impugns and discredits them as a supreme and infallible source of religious truth, a view of God which sets him forth as one who does not smite either in way of punishment or discipline, and who has nothing to

do with judging or punishing of the wicked.

Rev. R. Macalister, Presbyterian minister of Dunnville, announces that he has resolved to retire from the Presbyterian body with a view of connecting himself with the Church of England. He says he is moved by convictions of long standing, which have grown more pronounced during the last year.

A St. Vincent, Minn., dispatch says: There is great excitement in Kitchi county over the army worm, which is destroying the crop. They came in a rain storm. Fields near Hallock were stripped of leaves and heads of grain. County commissioners have been notified to take immediate action to try and exterminate the pest. Prof. Lugar was notified and work will begin by plowing up fields invaded.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY.

Proceedings at the Annual General Meeting at London.

The annual general meeting of the Hudson's Bay company was held in London on the 17th inst., at the City Terminus hotel, Sir Donald A. Smith presiding.

The governor, in moving the adoption of the report, stated that, including £17,763 brought forward, there was a profit of \$89,116, compared with \$53,000 in the previous year; and after paying a dividend of 12½ per cent, which would require £60,000, as against £6,64 a share for the previous year, they would carry forward £24,116 compared with £17,763. This improvement was to a considerable extent owing to the increased price of fur at the last sales in January and May, and was partly due to the fact that the profits and also were greatly increased by the economies which had been effected in London and Canada. They hoped, too, that there would be still further considerable economies in the near future. The valuation of the trading goods in the inventories on May 31st, 1891, was \$449,199, and on May 31st, 1892, figures were \$575,547. But the advances up to May 31, 1891, were \$236,589, while in 1892 they were only \$238,863. There were always goods in transit, and those which arrived in the country before the books were closed, were taken in the inventory; otherwise they would appear as advances in London, while the actual advances last year than in the year before, but that was owing to the increased amount of business done, and consequent on the facilities of transport, there had been a much larger turnover than in the former year. With regard to the future, the indications of the collections of furs made by the company for the year had been made aware of me to the present time, were that they would be at least equal to those of last year; and as regarded the shop sales they hoped that there would be even an increase over those of last year, although looking at the whole condition of trade, they had reason to believe the shop sales would be well in the last year.

The low price of wheat had injuriously affected the farming interest last year in the Northwest. With regard to their land sales, they disposed last year of 16,837 acres of farm lands for \$100,405 and 199 town lots for \$57,514, while in the previous year they disposed of 15,750 acres for \$104,591 and 119 town lots for \$75,025. This result could not be regarded as particularly satisfactory in view of all the circumstances that they had to deal with. In Manitoba and the Northwest, the result had been somewhat better than in the preceding year, but they had been taken into account the large increase in the sales of town lots in British Columbia, owing, however, in great measure, to a severe visitation of smallpox in Victoria and Vancouver Island during last summer. There was, he believed, every prospect of a revival in the demand for land. The area that the company had to offer, he said, had been reduced to 10,000 acres, and though he had been certain that it could be sold, he had not been able to sell it.

Prince sought a convenient spot to serve the dinner. They had been dining in a room decorated in a short time, which he immediately beatred, first putting the meat in front of him and the frying pan directly behind him.

His dog had made at least thirty

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BRANDON MAIL

T U R S D A Y , A U G . 10th, 1893.

THE MAIL has the Largest Circulation of any Newspaper in Brandon. Our Books are open for inspection to our Advertisers. Circulation over 1600.

When the Hon. Mr. Foster will arrive in this country to confer with the farmers, no one appears to know, but the farmers appear to be ready for him. In our last issue, we published a full list of their demands, and their reasons for making them, which appear clear, reasonable and right. If the government want to do this country, these demands should be granted. In their demands there appeal to nothing sectional, they do not ask for anything that can interfere with the existence or success of any institution in the country, their wishes conceded would enable us in this country, and all of Canada to make much better use of the land, as well for the benefit of the country as the success of the Conservative party. We sincerely hope these demands will be collectively and fully conceded.

The Virgin Advance quotes the opinion of Miss Crafts "a Christian Lady" to prove the charges against the Greenway side show at Chicago are not well founded. What Miss Crafts says is the show is on "Coney Island Avenue, which is the centre for all religious people visiting the Fair," and that "the Manitoba hotel is the evil quarter for many of the most prominent Sunday School workers." Of course all this is so like Greenway, but what has it got to do with the question at issue. The desirability is that all people visiting the Fair should see the exhibits—Jews and Gentiles as well as Christians—that the exhibit should cost the country the least possible amount for the advertising done, and that the government should have gone into no undertaking, hotel or saloon, that would not pay its way. Had the exhibit been placed with the Canadian collection, it would have cost the country nothing. Of course Greenway's henchmen would be out their salaries, and no possible risk would have been run in the Hotel business. The Greenway prints will have to try again and see what Miss Crafts, the Christian woman has to say on these latter points.

There are various reasons assigned for the resignation of Mr. Smart as commissioner at the World's Fair. The Free Press has it he was dismissed by the government but this is hardly probable. Whatever Greenway lacks he is hardly deficient in the element that constitutes the genuine unscrupulous politician. There is an election pending here, and it is not at all probable he would do an act to kill the strongest of all probable candidates in his interest. No one believes he is fool enough for that. To give every man his due Mr. Smart is one of the most honorable men that ever sat in that house, a supporter of the Greenway outfit, and is not unlikely he resigned his position rather than father some job Greenway & Co. wanted him to father. If this is not the cause of the resignation the next probable thing is the institution got so top heavy from useless extravagances that he saw it was better to jump off the top of the load before it fell over of its own inherent rotteness.

Trcherne.

TRCHERNE, Aug. 4.—Our football "Rovers" have had nothing to do lately but enjoy their honors, but on Tuesday next at East Trcherne school picnic they expect to have a brush with Rathwell.

R. S. Alexander has removed his storehouse from the station to the town, and is converting it into a machine warehouse for the Ross & Wood company.

A change has been made in the management of the mill, our new head miller being Mr. Weller, from Morden, a general as well as a complete man.

Reuben Palmer has moved to his new house on the farm and Mr. Ross has taken the house which he vacated.

Ed Roberts is erecting a large building on Main Street, which he divided and rented for various purposes.

It is to be hoped the town will be improved by a more liberal use of paint before the summer is over.

J. K. McLean has returned from an extended trip in connection with his business.

The road from the town west has been much improved by a few day's contract labor on it.

Messrs. J. T. Reid and S. L. Taylor, with their families, have returned from a holiday trip.

John Lowe, of the drug store, is going east in a few days to attend college at Toronto.

Miss Mooney, of Wawanesa, was the guest of Miss McClellan for a few days last week.

Judge Ryan and Mr. Blake, of the Postage, were in town last week.

A photographer has had his tent pitched in town for a week past.

J. B. Straube's house is finished.

City Council.

Present, the Mayor, Aldermen Patterson, Cameron, Coldwell, Reesor, Merritt, Trotter, Keddy.

The minutes of last and two special meetings having been read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Municipal Commissioner re rate to be levied for \$1718.00.—Referred to Finance Committee.

From John Ryan re Woolen Mills.—Referred to Board Works.

From MacDonald and McDonald filed.

From Henderson re position of engineer.—Referred Waterworks and Sewers.

John D. Ronald re two wheels, filed.

From City Clerk re by-laws voted, on the 1st of August, filed.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Your Committee on the Board of Works beg to report, and recommend as follows:

That the following accounts be paid:

Pay Sheet, August, 1893, \$123.00

Laidlaw & Green, 18.00

J. T. Howard, sewer pipes, 13.45

Wilson & Smythe, Blinds, 27.30

Western Lumber Co., less interest of 28th July and Aug. 4th 120.05

McIlvride & Lane, 2.00

That petition of McKenzie be referred to Council.

That engineer be instructed to have the south approach of 13th St. bridge put in proper condition according to his report, dated August 7th, 1893.

Mr. W. J. Curtis be paid glass, etc., \$5.75.

That the chairman of Board of Works be authorized to remove sidewalk on west side of 11th street, between Rosser and Princess and have the same removed to the east side of Fourth Street, between Rosser and Princess, and replaced said sidewalk on 11th Street, by a new 6 foot sidewalk. After the ground is properly graded for said sidewalk, all of which is respectfully submitted,

H. R. CAMERON,
Chairman.

The report was adopted with the exception of the last clause re sidewalk, which was struck out.

WATERWORKS AND SEWERS.

Your committee beg to report as follows, and recommend the following accounts to be paid:

W. Johnson, wheel-barrow \$5.00,

Zink Bros., 12.00

McIlvride and Lane, 18.00

Telegrams, 1.20

New York Filter Company, 19.40

James Miller, 31.50

John Mahire, 2.96

E. Campbell, 22.00

Pay sheet, men sinking well, 79.00

D. S. Speakman, 104.50

Pay sheet, work on well Cathro, 50.75

Pay sheet W. W. men Cathro, 289.30

Laidlaw, Green & Co., Cathro, \$9.00 33.40

Pay sheet, fitting up engine, 64.45

Thos. Chambers for extras, 381.16

Wells Hardware Co. (Cathro), 15.20

That Alexander Gartshore's letter be paid and cheque remitted to him.

That communication of Laflaw, Green and Co. be filed, and that they be ordered to make fifty nine galvanized iron buckets for manhole at \$1.35 each same as sample with necessary fastenings at 7cts lb.

That H. G. Dickson's communications re by-laws be filed.

That F. P. Campbell's account be sent back for particulars as to time and certificate of Mr. Macrae.

That City Engineer be required to submit to council to-night a list of the necessities required for making water-work communications, and that his communications be filed, carried.

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FINANCE AND ASSESSMENT.

That Pay sheet for month ending, July 31st be paid, \$845.65.

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That Robt. Hall's account be paid \$4.00

That Treasurer be paid for costs as to him on City Hall \$1.50

That request of Hooper, Secy. Union Picnic be granted \$30.00.

That Treasurer's account of elections be paid and one-third charged School Board, \$44.04

That S. D. Kennedy's account for water tank be paid, \$6.50; Frank Miller, \$1.00; A. Godfards application be filed. McIlvride & Lane, 30.63; C. P. R. Telegraph account, \$638; D. McMillan, vital statistics, \$39.25; R. A. Rutland, balance of account be repaid to and declined; Assessor's balance of salary, \$260 W. H. Hillard, \$31.25; H. W. Bucke, \$78.50. Letter of J. Dorees & Sons be filed, J. S. Richards, 30.85.

Your committee would recommend that the sum of \$30,000 be applied for from the Imperial Bank of Canada for completion of waterworks in anticipation of sale of debtentures of \$10,000, and that the chairman of this committee take steps to have these debentures issued at once and lodged with the Imperial Bank, as collateral security for such advance, and also take steps at once to sell such debentures. All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. R. COLDWELL,

Your committee on Fire, Water and Light recommend the following accounts to be paid.

Brandon Electric Light Company \$75.21 Laidlaw & Green, \$11.00; Steves & Chiltech, \$4.00.

D. A. Reesor, Chairman.

LICENSE, POLICE, HEALTH AND RELIEF.

Recommend the following payments:

Mr. Ebdye & Lane, 181.25

" Wood, 7.50

Wilson & Smythe of C. F. King, 15.00

Dr. Thompson 3 months salary, 37.20

H. Johnson, Bread, 1.25

Dr. Lawrence, Chief of Police, 4.40

Clerk of Police report for July received and filed.

John Lowe, Mr. Smoots to refer to his own resolution.

That petition of the Whitelaw Trading Company and others re butchers by-laws be filed.

N. J. Halpin, Chairman.

ENQUIRIES.

Ald. Reesor re Progress being made at pumping station.

Ald. Coldwell and the Major replied at length as to what is being done.

NOTES OF MOTIONS.

By Ald. Cameron to repeal by-lay 355.

MOTIONS.

Cameron—Coldwell.—That the chairman of the Board of Works be instructed to have sheets put in order where waterworks have gone over and the amount be charged to contractors and that Stewart Chiltech be notified to look after same. Carried.

Trotter—Keddy.—That the chairman of the Board of Works be instructed to fit in ditch on 4th St. South of Victoria Avenue and make same passable. Carried.

Coldwell—Cameron.—That the engineer apply for tenders for the Waterworks material needed as per his specifications and that he apply to local dealers and Winnipeg dealers. That tenders be procured by tender at same time, of sizes which will be required. Carried.

Merritt—Trotter.—That the chairman of the Board of Works be instructed to have a four foot walk placed across ditch on east side of 1st Street and Rosser using old material for same. Carried.

Patterson—Coldwell.—That the chairman of the Board of Works be authorized to have the necessary filing done around Merchants where they occur on low ground. Carried.

Coldwell—Cameron.—That the health officers be asked to examine the slaughter house and piggery on the river about 1/2 a mile above pumping station and report to this council at its next meeting as to any danger of pollution to the river from such sources. Carried.

By-lay No. 355 was read the second time re licensing and sweeping chimneys.

Wheat sold in Chicago on Saturday at the low figure of 53 cents per bushel.

It is reported that R. T. Rokeby, the sawmills manager, is on his way back to Winnipeg if he is not there by this time.

A hai stone which was picked up at Neepawa, after the heavy storm in the end of July, measured 81 inches in circumference and weighed 9 ounces.

Winnipeg last week a portion of the wall of the Grand Pacific Hotel, in Market Square fell and crashed through the roof of C. D. Wilson's furniture store damaging his stock to the extent of \$5,000.

R. Robinson, a farmer on 10-2-25, near Deloraine was killed by lightning the latter part of last month. Mr. Robinson came from Richmond Hill, Ont. and was a well to do farmer.

Deaths from lightning are unusually numerous in Eastern Canada this year. Every day's despatches contain more or less of them. Much damage is also reported from the same cause.

A new paper is to be started in Winnipeg, to be called the "Saturday Night". Mr. Sheppard editor of the Toronto "Saturday Night" is the prime mover. The first number will be issued next month.

The Saltown Crofters settlement according to the English Hansard has been a failure. Sir George Trevelyan said: That of 49 families originally settled only 18 remain. The money allotted could not have been spent than in emigration to Saltown.

Applications for the position of wife to Mr. David Black, of Newdale, should be pouring upon him now, as his name has been published by the most influential newspapers in the province. Who is to be the lucky girl? —MINNEHAZA TRIBUNE.

Mr. Duncan McArthur, late manager of the Commercial Bank appeared before the Police Magistrate, Winnipeg, to answer to the charge of falsifying the balance due the bank, from outside agencies, and other banks. He was released on bail.

The Neepawa Register says:—On Thursday of last week Richard Scott, of Glendale, happened with a serious accident. He was riding a broncho driving some stock in from the field when the animal he rode stumbled, and fell on top of him, breaking his leg about the middle of the thigh.

In mentioning the names of the sufferers from hail south of Chater, in a late issue we omitted Mr. Dunseith and Mr. Lawrence. Every care is being taken to have his case reported.

This is the more severe, from the fact that for several other causes he has not had a good crop since 1887.

The editor of the Lethbridge News says

he has one subscriber who every time he gets on a spree, insists on paying a year's subscription. He has already paid for his paper to January 1, 1897. The News says: "We are making an effort to ascertain what brand of whisky he drinks in order that it may be more generally placed on the market. Of course total abstainers cannot be reached by that agency, but good people always pay in advance."

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Douglas.

A MAIL reporter paid a visit to this thriving little town last week, and finds that since his previous visit six months ago, considerable improvements in buildings etc. have been made. The new Presbyterian church, (of which Mr. Shimmins, of Brandon, is the contractor) is a very pretty and neat building, and quite an addition to the place. Some new private houses add also to the appearance of the town. The business men have well stocked stores and though business just at present is dull, they anticipate "booming" times after the receipt of the crop, which it is expected will be commenced in a week or ten days.

There are two nice clean hotels, the Berry House, kept by Mr. Butler; is a small, quiet but exceptionally neat and clean house, where the guest feels at home as soon as he enters, and feels sorry on leaving.

The new Douglas house, kept by Mr. King, is equally as good and well patronized, having a good billiard and sample room of soft drinks, which during this hot weather was very acceptable to the weary traveler.

It seems almost a pity that the town should cover so much space, when if it had been more compactly built, the appearance would have been improved and the weary traveller in the late hot days, would not have thought half a mile, ten.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—The report from the United States concerning the temporary financial stringency and commercial depression has knocked the boom for which the immigration agents have been working for several months into smithereens. Ever since the spring the various immigration agencies in the centre of the city have been deluging the various industrial and agricultural regions of the country with pamphlets and leaflets dilating in glowing opportunity for profitable employment of artisans, mechanics, farmers and agricultural laborers in the United States, that country being represented as being on the tip-top way of prosperity with abundance of capitals and labor at a premium. As a result of the representations numerous immigration clubs have been organized on an installment principle in the west and north of England, and the agents have been looking forward to one of the biggest harvests of recent years in their line. Cable dispatches of the past few weeks, however, have convinced the incoming emigrants that it is better for the time being to endure present evils than to seek worse ones in a new country, and as a result the boom has pattered out.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—Something of a sensation has been created here by the positive announcement that cholera has been epidemic in Marseilles since May and that 6,600 deaths have occurred there. As many as 20 deaths occurred daily for a time. A despatch from Rome says that 100,000 of the population of Naples has fled in consequence of the existence of cholera there. As many as 50 new cases daily occur. Deaths from cholera have occurred in Rome. The Russian government is closing all the schools in Southern Russia. In Mecca there has been over 6,000 deaths from cholera since the present epidemic broke out.

PEMBINA, N.D., Aug. 4.—Judge Landre sentenced Albert Peterson, the murderer, this morning to penitentiary for life, and the following for violating the prohibition law in this county: Lot Davis, Flastson; John Burns, Cavalier; J. Burton, Leroy; to 90 days in jail and \$200 fine; P. F. Jennings, Cavalier, 90 days in and \$450 fine; H. J. Donville, Neche, five months in jail and \$500 fine. In closing his address to the prisoners the judge said if any one of them should again appear under similar charges he would inflict the highest penalty prescribed by law—one year in the penitentiary and \$1,000 fine.

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MARKETS.

The prices paid in the city to farmers at present are as follows:

Wheat.....	45 to 48
Oats.....	30
Barley.....	30
Bran, none in the city	
Poultry, scarce	
Eggs, per doz.	20 to 12½
Butter, per lb.	15 to 17
Potatoes.....	45
Beef, per lb, live weight.	3 to 3½
Mutton, per lb.....	5 to 5½
Pork, per lb.....	4

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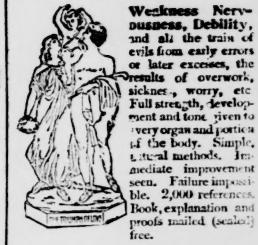
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CHICAGO.

THE MOST WONDERFUL CITY ON EARTH.

Graphic Pen Sketches of World's Fair City
By John F. Ballantine, in St. Nicholas.

In enterprise and growth, Chicago is the most wonderful city on earth. No other can compare with it. It is a copy of "the Arabian Nights," half so marvelous as the story of its change from a frontier fort into the second city on the continent. And all this has been accomplished within the memory of men who are alive to-day.

In 1673 Father Marquette, a Jesuit missionary, discovered the upper Mississippi, having reached it by Lake Michigan via the Fox and Wisconsin rivers. He followed its course southward as far as he dared go, then turned to retrace his steps. He was told by Indians that there was an easier route to the lake than that by which he had come, and, heedless of their advice, he paddled up the Illinois river to the Mississippi, where he came to a stream which he named Chiacagow. Here he made a portage, and, following up the Chiacagow, reached Lake Michigan again.

He was the first white man to set foot on Chicago soil.

Several years afterwards La Salle went to the Illinois river to find it became the regular route from Canada to the country of the Illinois Indians. No settlement was made there, however; it was merely a rest place.

In 1804 the United States Government, for strategic purposes, built and garrisoned a fort on the south bank of the Chicago river. John Kinzie accompanied the army of follow-ers and established a trading station. He was the first white settler. In 1812 the troops, as they were preparing to leave the region, were set upon by the Indians and massacred. Some of the settlers perished with them, but Mr. Kinzie and his family escaped. In 1816 the fort was rebuilt, and a new garrison put in charge, and Mr. Kinzie returned and resumed his operations in fur. Nothing of moment occurred in the next fourteen years except the occasional arrival of settlers, most of whom passed on and found homes farther west or south.

In 1831 the commissioners of the Illinois and Michigan canal surveyed and laid out the town, naming it Chicago. Prior to that time the cluster of hills had been called Fort Dearborn settlement. It is not likely that the commissioners were aware of their own wisdom in selecting this site, or they might have been more generous in allowing room for growth. As it was, they gave it room for the eight sides of a square mile.

In 1837 Chicago became a city. It had grown beyond all expectations and its people were becoming ambitious for something more than town ship organization. A charter was secured from the State legislature, and the incorporation limits were adjusted to an area of ten and one-half square miles.

In 1838 a public meeting was held, Judge Henry Brown presiding. In introducing the speakers he referred to the city's progress. Then, warming to his subject, and giving the rosin to his imagination, he uttered these historic words:

"The child is already born who will live to see Chicago with a population of 200,000."

The people who crowded the hall were as loyal to Chicago and as hopeful of its future, as could be expected.

It is not likely that early day business men could have expected a sum total of \$120,000,000.00. It might have been a shout of derisive laughter drawn the judge's voice.

Nevertheless, a child born that day was only twenty-eight years old when the 200,000 mark was passed. There were men at that meeting who lived to see a population exceeding 1,000,000. Here is a table showing the population at different stages of the city's growth from that time to this:

1837, 4,170; 1843, 7,580; 1847, 52,688; 1847, 16,859; 1849, 23,017; 1850, 29,662; 1855, 59,150; 1855, 86,000; 1856, 84,113; 1860, 109,266; 1862, 138,186; 1864, 169,359; 1865, 206,418; 1868, 232,054; 1870, 306,488; 1872, 367,596; 1874, 397,408; 1876, 57,000; 1880, 563,185; 1880, 1,098,575.

Today, careful estimates place the population at 1,400,000, and the probability is that it is above rather than below that figure. The area within the city limits is 181 square miles. There is over \$22,000,000 invested in manufacturing industries now. An annual inward of \$57,000,000,000 worth of goods, and paying employees more than \$100,000,000. The wholesale business of the city aggregates more than \$500,000,000, and its commerce more than \$1,500,000,000. Its meat products alone are valued at \$130,000,000. The business houses mean \$7,000,000 a year. Over \$80,000,000 has been invested in public schools, whose maintenance costs from \$5,000,000 to \$6,000,000 a year. There are 800 private schools, 350 seminaries and academies, and four universities. The public library contains nearly 200,000 volumes, and a circulation exceeding that of any other in the United States. The other business in the city are estimated to contain over 3,000,000,000 volumes. There are over 900 daily and weekly papers and periodicals, and 700 literary organizations. There are about six hundred churches. Over \$300,000,000 has been expended by the construction of buildings since 1874, and the annual expenditures for this purpose between \$45,000,000 and \$55,000,000.

In the centre of this continent is a great inland water-system, with limitless possibilities for commerce. To the terminal point of this system all things gravitate. Curiously enough nature has made curiously of another water system. To the eastward of it lies the lakes to the west and south of it the rivers; it was the portage, the connecting link, between the two highways.

At this central point, therefore, in obedience to a power beyond the control of the sturdy men who were its instruments, Chicago grew. This it stands to-day. It has been prostrated by fire, but calamity was powerless to check its progress. The same power that gave it life and a purpose gave it courage, strength, endurance, energy, enterprise, and never force needed for the maintenance of that purpose. These came to it the only during among men, the Norsemen of business. They were capable of giving it the position in the

commercial world that the race of the Vikings held in the world of warfare. This is the whole secret of Chicago.

The first things that impresses a stranger in the city is the magnitude and magnificence of the buildings in the business districts. The fire of 1871, the most disastrous conflagration in history, was not without compensating features. It gave the world an opportunity to show its generosity. It gave the city of Chicago a chance to show the world the clear grit that lay at the bottom of all their undertakings; and, finally, it cleared the way for a better class of structures.

It was in 1876, when the people had recovered in a measure from the effects of the fire—or rather both fires, for there was another serious conflagration in June, 1874, that the city began to dawn. Since then more than \$820,000,000 has been expended in buildings. With this enormous sum of money at their disposal, architects and engineers had an incentive to study and work such as they had never had before, and they evolved methods of construction superior to any that had been followed in the past. Under the new system wood has been discarded wherever iron can be made to serve the purpose, and iron is rapidly giving way to steel. In the best buildings all beams and supports are now made of steel, which is manufactured into the shapes used for the framework. The frame is entirely independent of the walls, which are expected to contribute nothing to the strength of the structure. In many cases these are merely thin mask of terra-cotta or brick, which serves to keep out the weather and presents a smooth appearance. In places where the walls are of solid masonry, as is the case with numbers of the finest buildings, the same frame-plan is adopted. Architects now say their is no such thing as an absolutely fire-proof building, but our large structures are made as nearly fire-proof as practicable. Every roof or floor is fire-proof, every floor-beam, everything in fact, that can be injured by heat is enclosed in a covering of terra-cotta, from which it is separated by air-chambers. No ordinary fire would be likely to do serious damage to a building so carefully guarded.

The foundation plan used to be a series of posts, each of which was a marshy tract of land, and although it is now dry enough and raised an average of twelve feet above its old level, it does not everywhere afford substantial support. Driving piles into the soft places was tried, but the results were not good. Big timber was set in much and so uneven that their appearance was marred and their stability threatened. The post office is a notable example. Its walls are cracked in scores of places, and its total collapse is one of the possibilities which the occupants have to face every day. If it were the property of a rich individual or corporation, it would be torn down. Unfortunately it belongs to the United States; therefore it stands as a menace to life, and an offense in the sight of all neighbors. However, so far as local buildings are concerned, the foundation problem has been solved. The present plan is to make a subsoil foundation for each division of the city—and for the levying of an annual tax was secured, and the work was begun. On the north side, the Lincoln park board got possession of the old city cemetery and enough contiguous property to make up the 250 acres now known as Lincoln Park. The park board purchased 1007 acres, which they converted into Washington Park, Jackson Park and the Midway Plaisance; the West park board obtained 566 acres where they divided into Douglas Park, Garfield Park and Humboldt Park. At this time Lincoln Park was the largest park in the center of the city. Jackson, Washington Parks, at the southeastern while a line drawn from Humboldt Park, through Garfield Park, and terminating in Douglas Park, defines the western limit. The parks are so small parks, varying in size from half an acre to twenty acres, and scattered throughout the city, bring the total area of park lands up to about 2,000 acres. This does not include the boulevards, which are about thirty miles long. These are now completed, forming the finest driveway in the world. With a good team of trotters a person may start from the Lakefront Park, in the center of the city, and opposite some of the best hotels—drive south on Michigan Avenue, Boulevard to Thirty-fifth street; thence to Grand Boulevard, which leads to Washington Park; through Washington Park westward, to Garfield Boulevard, and thence to Gage Park, through Franklin and North Western Avenues and Park and Douglas Boulevard to Douglas Park; thence along the western and northern extension of Douglas Boulevard to Garfield Park; along Central Park Boulevard to Humboldt Park, north and east by Humboldt Boulevard and Diversey Parkway; thence to Lincoln Park; and so on along the Lakeshore Drive, Rush street and Michigan Avenue to the starting point. He may make this circuit in an afternoon, and return his horses to the stable in good condition. The roadway is so smooth and the going so easy, that the same team might make the trip in a day and a half, if the engine will bear the required weight. The foundation proper is built upon this underground structure. Some of the tallest "sky-scrappers" in the city rest upon steel-rail beds, and none of them have settled to an appreciable degree.

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This fair, except for this digression into the labors and difficulties of the early days of its material development of the city. But there is a high development, the intellectual and moral, the progress in literature, art and science, and of its educational institutions, which the high rentals of ground floor stores has brought about. Between the eleventh and sixteenth floors it is arranged for offices. Above the sixteenth story everything is devoted to masonic purposes except the roof, which has been converted into an observatory. The offices, buildings, of which are a great many, the Rookery takes the highest rank. Its name is reminiscent. Shortly after the fire the city erected a two-story brick building for temporary use as a city hall and court house. It was a cheap affair and soon fell into decay. The newspaper reported that it was "a mere shanty." Its name stuck. Its site was leased to the owners of the present building, and the name seems to have gone with the lease, and by the way, it is not the only instance of the kind. The "Chamber of Commerce" building, an office building that rivals the Rookery both in size and beauty, derives its name from the fact that it sits on the site and is part of the reconstructed part of the material of the old Chamber of Commerce. The new Chamber of Commerce is now known as the Board of Trade building, and is one of the finest grain mar-

kets, if not the finest in the world.

The Rookery is an imposing edifice, in which granite, marble, mosaic, and sandstone on which it stands, \$1,500,000.

In immensity, the richness and beauty of its interior decoration, the wealth or marble, and bronze, and rare woods, the luxuriance of its furnishings, all combine to make it a palace such as no Oriental monarch ever dreamed of possessing. It has been said that the building is representative of Chicago's history, where art, beauty, and utility are so strongly defined, though nearly always blended, on every side.

The Columbia Fountain.

The fountain which marks the centre of the great Forest of Honor at the World's Fair holds many beautiful things, but none is more striking or impressive than the great Columbia fountain. It is the work of the sculptor Frederick Macmonnies, and typifies the triumph and glory of Columbia. A mammoth barge is represented, steaming along the Columbia, site enthroned. This one figure towers above all the others, and attracts the attention at once by its dignity and pose. Father time is behind the barge, guiding the barge through all the perils of the years. The figures stand at the prow and stern, the hands of the Goddess of the Republic. There are four charming figures on either side of the barge bearing upon the long sweeps which rest in the water. These figures represent the spirits which have won for Columbia the triumphs of the ages. The figures stand at the prow and stern, the hands of the Goddess of the Republic. 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LOCAL NEWS.

Civic holiday in Winnipeg, August 24.

The North-West Assembly meets at Regina on the 12th.

Mr. S. Hobbs, of the Merchants', returned Friday, after a long visit to several states, Ontario, etc.

Mr. Parrish, of the Staff of Parrish & Lindsay, returned from the east last week.

Sam Hanna, of Griesbach, was returned from his visit to the World's Fair well pleased with his trip.

Mrs. Coleman returned home last week from her visit to Rat Portage and Winnipeg.

Mr. W. A. MacDonald has left on a visit to the World's Fair in the east. He will be away only a short time.

The heat of Monday and the terribly hot wind that accompanied it has, we are sorry to state, been very detrimental to the grain crop.

The principal of the Winnipeg Business College contemplates the establishment of a branch either here or at the Portage.

Mr. Jukes is going about on crutches, having sprained his ankle at Tennis. The moral is he ought to stick to cricket in which he fares better.

Some of the farmers in the neighborhood of Douglas hope to start cutting their crops in this district look fair but are in need of rain.

R. T. Rokeye, of the Commercial Bank fame, has turned up in Chicago. He is reported to have said: "That some of the authorities in Winnipeg kindly gave him a friendly tip."

Mr. Boyd has been successful in establishing a customs house at Carberry with Mr. Wise as officer. And still the Grits of that town will not thank him for his services.

The work of decorating the interior of the Presbyterian church will be completed this week and the re-opening services will be held a week from Sunday. — RAPID CITY SPECTATOR.

Mr. D. A. Hooper will open a private bank in Minnedosa next week. All arrangements are completed. Mr. E. O. Denison will be manager. The bank will be continued here the same as usual. — RAPID CITY SPECTATOR.

People have been coming for miles around to pick raspberries at the patches about four miles north of Rapid City. On Monday it was estimated there were three or four hundred in the berry patch.

The fields of wheat in the neighborhood of the city, are commencing to assume the golden tinge, so pleasant to the farmers. A large number are to be seen daily carrying out twine to be ready for cutting in a couple of weeks time or less.

Tramps are coming over the line in large numbers and some of them appear to be pretty hard citizens. Up to the present Brandon has escaped any large influx of them.

The Annual Convention of the County of Dennis Sunday School Association met in Virden last week. Several Brandontites were present. A very good paper from the pen of Mr. McKee, of Brandon, was read by Miss Smith, of Brandon.

And now the name of Mr. W. B. Search is mentioned for Lieut. Governor of Manitoba. No better appointment could be made, and in the province today there is not an available man as well entitled to it. By all means let Mr. Search have the appointment.

We are glad to notice that one of our citizens, Mr. Fred. Counsell, has opened out in business for himself at Alexander. He is prepared to do all kinds of work in the carriage-building line and guarantees first-class work. Mr. Counsell is bound to be successful in this enterprise.

The unusual display of the aurora on Sunday night was of the most gorgeous description. It was at its best between twelve and one o'clock. The brightness in the southern part of the sky was remarkable, the rays converged from all points of the zenith.

The Presbyterian picnic which occurred last week, was one of the largest that has taken place at the pretty grounds of the Experimental farm. Nearly all the members of the Presbyterian church from outside places were present and amused themselves with games and races etc. It was late at night when the last of the party returned from the grove.

Some of the lumber dealers attempt to ridicule the force of our article of two weeks ago on lumber dealers' profits, because a dealer failed in this city last week. In the abstract, that would prove nothing, as hundreds of men fail in every business in which others make large fortunes. Mr. Ashley's troubles, however, arise from being too good to customers, trusting and losing heavily. This could be indulged to smash up any business with even double the profits.

The C. P. R. excursion which left the city last week for Moosomin was most successful in every way. Eleven coaches carried the happy excursionists. Brandon's band accompanied the party and played a few selections before starting at 8 o'clock. Many joined the party at different stations on the line, and at Elkhorn every car was full. They arrived in Moosomin at 11 o'clock. Here a most enjoyable day was spent and the programme carried out to the satisfaction of everyone. The train arrived home in Brandon at 11.30.

The bait is held out by the Conwayites, that the Normal School may be built here.

Mr. S. Hanna was in the city Tuesday after his visit to the east. He is in good health and spirits.

At times during Monday the thermometer at Fleming's registered 120°, in the shade, 107° at the Experimental Farm.

The Provincial Teachers Association meets at Brandon on October 12th and 13th.

A man whose name we were unable to obtain is reported to have received a sunstroke Monday afternoon.

A. Moore's Fish and Poultry Depot, Rosser Avenue, between 9th and 10th street, has to-day put in a Telephone No. 127.

The Northern Pacific have reduced the round trip tickets to Chicago World's Fair, to \$30, good for thirty days.

The Rev. Mr. Urquhart, the popular rector of the Presbyterian church, arrived home from his visit to the east the latter part of last week.

Master Manie Smith, son of Mr. Leeson Smith is suffering, we are sorry to say from the effect of a slight sun stroke received last Monday.

The Ladies Aid Society, for the Hospital, are preparing an excursion to Souris on the 15th inst. It is to be hoped that all those who can will attend.

Mr. McMillan, of Petrolia, Ont., arrived in the city last week with his wife. The gentleman is a brother of our worthy City Treasurer.

Dr. Doerig, an old time dentist of Brandon, is again in the city on a visit. He has spent the past few years in Philadelphia, and is now on his way to Australia where he intends to permanently locate.

Mr. and Mrs. Nealon, of the Langham hotel, returned from their visit to the World's Fair last week. They were more than pleased with what they saw and only wished they could spare more time for the White City.

The choir of the Methodist Church, Chater, give an entertainment there to-night. Brandontites should drive out and pay a visit to that enterprising and energetic town.

The C. P. R. station is not progressing as fast as one would wish, owing to the lack of material. It will be a great pity if the station is not fit for occupation before the cold winter sets in.

Sunday last the thermometer registered 96° in the shade and the hot wind made it more like the atmosphere from the Sahara than the Arctic breezes that are supposed to strike this country.

Mr. Moore, has opened out a very neat, tastefully arranged fish market in the store lately occupied by Jackson & Co., piano forte dealers. Mr. Moore will certainly have on sale fish from both the Atlantic and Pacific, and we are sure he will be able to please the most fastidious.

On the Experimental Farm, harvesting has already commenced. Ledge and Red Fife are the earliest varieties of wheat cut, though some samples of early oats and barley have been harvested. Mr. Bedford who has been to Indian Head returned last Thursday and reports crops as fairly good.

On Monday night Brandontites discovered the meaning of the aurora. It was wind, heat and dust, though we do not suffer from the latter article according to a contemporary. It is however possible that Providence has seen the error of our co-temporary's ways, and wishes for once to put him on the straight road.

Mr. Williams, of Deloraine, and Mr. Crosthwaite, both in the immigration business dropped off here Monday, with a deputation of 35 Michigan farmers who were west spying out the land, in the interest of Michigan farmers formerly residents of Ontario. They are pleased with what they have seen that 22 of their number took up homesteads for themselves and 40 of their acquaintances in Michigan in the west country. They say this is simply the fore-runner of a large immigration from Michigan next season.

The return cricket match which took place last Saturday, at Minnedosa, between Brandon and the city of hat city, resulted like the former in a victory for the Brandontites. Brandon won the toss and took possession of the wicket. In their first innings they scored 79, Kennedy and Clarke making the best figures, 15 for the former and 16 for the latter. Minedosa only 36, 26, 1st innings. Brandon for the loss of 7 wickets made 110, out of which Leeson Smith made 32, not out, and Biggs 22. Some of the party drove home after the match.

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English soldiers are to be recruited by some members of the 95th Battalion. The scenery and costumes are furnished by the Royal Glasgow, Scotland.

We believe a slight mistake appeared in the prize list as to three year old balls in Holstein class. W. H. Acton, Alexander, should have been credited with first prize.

Mrs. Hardie left this week for Ontario to attend the millinery openings and purchase her fall stock. She will also visit the openings in Chicago and the World's Fair.

Detactive Greer, of Ontario, is in town to get Mr. Dickson, a dentist, to give evidence as to a set of teeth he made and which will form an important link in the crown's chain of evidence in the Lucky murder case.

There is much talk about the great slaughter at the recent teachers' examinations. The pupils of Brandon school are a whole good but the special features were the singing of Mrs. Verner and the playing of Prof. Henneberg. Mrs. Verner has a voice of much sweetness, of extensive compass and is well taught, while the professor is simply a host in himself either with violin or flute. As their music is high class, they did not give the gallery as much satisfaction as more of the comic would have given, but it was highly appreciated by all musicians present.

— Shooting Affray.

The citizens of our quiet city were both surprised and excited on Monday last, by hearing that a citizen had been shot at. Many conflicting rumors were first spread but it appears the facts of the case are as follows:

John Clowes from Staffordshire, England, arriving in the city about six weeks ago, accompanied by a woman, they both went to the Brunswick Hotel, as man and wife. After a time the man procured work with a farmer, and left the city. The woman was employed in the hotel and remained there for over a month, but owing to some reason or other Mr. Holland the proprietor discharged her. On Monday, Clowes arrived in town, and on going to the Brunswick enquired for his wife. Mr. Holland could give him no information, but whilst they were talking on this subject, the woman passed. Clowes finished his drink and immediately followed. It appears he had been drinking rather heavily and fancied his lady friend had entered the room of Mr. Orde, on Pacific Avenue. On knocking Mr. Orde came to the door, and told him that no such person lived there. The man however, insisted and hot water followed. Clowes who is a one armed man, struck at Mr. Orde tearing his shirt. Mr. Orde promptly drew him and on his promising to be quiet let him up and went into his house locking the door behind him. When Clowes regained his feet, went to the rear of the house and fired two shots through the window from an English bulldog revolver, luckily doing no damage to any one. The police were soon on the scene and the prisoner promptly arrested.

On Wednesday at 10 o'clock, Clowes appeared before P. M. Todd but the case as postponed until 11 o'clock, Saturday.

The prisoner, who appeared to be a respectable young man of about 25, seems exceedingly sorry for the occurrence and says he has no remembrance of what took place Monday night owing to his having had so much liquor to drink.

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Get Eseley's Liver Lozenges at once. 25 cents. Don't wait till you are down sick. If your tongue is coated get a box of Eseley's Liver Lozenges at once, 25 cents, at drug stores.

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